

CHICHESTER YOUTH ASSOCIATION

CYA

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Chichester Youth Association
Minutes for the Meeting of
Sunday May 22, 2011 at 6:00 pm
Chichester Town Hall

I ATTENDANCE:

Doreen Lehoullier, Joe Montambeault, Julie Mercier, Jennifer Cassidy, Tammy Montambeault, Chip Wagner, Brian Menard, Emilie Daniels, Jacqueline Hanna, Rick Davison, Jeff Hapgood, Rebecca Pillsbury, Robin Ekstrom, Marcia Luba, Rhonda Gelines, Dana Sonia, and Lee Ann Valletto.

II APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

On a motion made by Tammy, seconded by Jacqueline, the minutes from 4/10/11 were approved with all members in favor.

III TREASURER'S REPORT:

Checking Account: \$20,034.38

Savings Account: \$6,161.42

- The 990 was prepared by Kevin Kennedy, sent to the IRS, and filed with the DOJ (Department of Justice.)
- The interpretation of the law for gambling is low risk as it is not continuous. This was a question regarding our fundraiser at the Lodge at Belmont.
- At the end of baseball season, depending on how much is left after bills are paid, money will be transferred to the savings account.

On a motion made by Tammy, seconded by Joe, the Treasurer's Report was approved with all members in favor.

IV COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS

Soccer:

- Soccer camp is booked and registration form is ready. Reminder to be put in newspaper, website, and email blast.
- A question about having a championship sign for Chichester was asked. Discussion ended with more research but leaning towards one vinyl banner for baseball, softball and soccer.

Baseball:

- There was a consistency issue with the rules for Rookies between the towns. We are to go by the Suncook Valley rules. Contact Karen at Suncook Valley to go over the rules with the towns. Also have someone address the umpires for consistency between leagues.

- Received positive feedback on our first Opening Ceremonies – will continue each year.
- T-Ball guidelines need to be written for consistency between our own teams.

Softball:

- Softball tourney will be held June 13th-19th at Carpenter Park. We need Snack Shack coverage, at least 3 people at all times on Saturday.

Snack Shack:

- Made approximately \$700 so far this season.
- Still no hot water.

VI EQUIPMENT MANAGER’S REPORT:

- Missing a “Tee” – email was sent out but if not returned, a new one will be purchased. Board approved.
- Trophies were ordered - \$639.85
- Jackets for Majors (tradition has been to award players that have played 3 years in CYA to get a jacket in their first Major season.) Last year, we spent \$742.00 for 10 jackets (track type) from Shirt Masters. Proposed to purchase pullover baseball type jackets from Multiplex. 18 eligible players this year will cost \$882.00. Board Approved.
- More discussion for Jackets. Coaches are eligible to purchase at full price their own jacket after 3 years of coaching. Players will not be eligible if they have not played in CYA for 3 years, even if in majors or aged out. Board approved.

VII FUND RAISING:

- Car Wash held 5/22/11 was successful and bake sale did well. \$716.00 made at car wash and \$250 made at the bake sale. Bring towels next year.
- Lodge at Belmont needs to have ads in paper (Contact Suncook Valley to see if they still have the ad.)
- 10th Annual Golf Tournament scheduled on September 10th at Beaver Meadow. Need new signs for advertising.

VIII WEBSITE:

- Directions need to be updated (especially to Alton.) Possibly to include estimated time or an address for GPSs.
- Use the current Golf page as the Snack Shack page and include the signup sheet.

X OTHER BUSINESS:

- End of the year BBQ/Awards night will be June 24th – more info to come.
- First Congregational Church will be using the fields every Monday from June 20th thru August.
- Park and Rec – grant for new trails at Carpenter Park
- Possible dumpster rental
- Infield mix (same mix as the mound) \$3600.00 for both fields – depending on how well the fundraiser at the Lodge at Belmont.
- Tractor is down to 3 wheels, hopefully it can be fixed.

XI ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Tammy to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Jen with all in favor.

The next scheduled meeting will be held on Sunday June 12, 2011 at 6:00 pm in the Selectman's Office.